AIR QUALITY PERMIT NOTICE

PERMIT ISSUANCE TO A MAJOR SOURCE SUBJECT TO PREVENTION OF SIGNIFICANT DETERIORATION (PSD)

North American Stainless EIS Plant I.D. # 079-0580-0034 AFS Plant I.D. # 021-041-00034 Application Log #G020

North American Stainless located on 6870 Highway 42 East, Ghent, Kentucky has applied to the Kentucky Division for Air Quality for a permit to construct and operate a stainless steel melt shop to be located at 6870 Highway 42 East, Ghent, Kentucky. The plant will produce stainless steel slabs and will emit criteria, regulated and hazardous air pollutants. Air quality regulations for prevention of significant deterioration of air quality which define increments of allowable air quality degradation will apply. Increment consumption has been predicted by EPA approved dispersion models to be:

Pollutant	PM ₁₀		Carbon Monoxide		Nitrogen Dioxide	Lead
Averaging Time	Annual arithmetic mean	24 hour maximum	1 hour maximum	8 hour maximum	Annual arithmetic mean	Calendar quarter
Increment Allowable (µg/m³)	17	30	NA	NA	25	NA
Predicted Impacts (µg/m³)	0.89	4.90	315.08	11.596	0.97	0.0034

Copies of the Division's draft permit and supporting information are available for inspection by the public during normal business hours at the following locations:

Division for Air Quality, 803 Schenkel Lane, Frankfort, KY

Division for Air Quality Florence Regional Office, 8020 Ewing Boulevard , Suite 110, Ghent, KY

and the Carroll County Clerk's office, 440 Main Street, Carrollton, KY

The division is soliciting comments on the draft permit and affording the opportunity for a public hearing. To be considered, any written comments or requests for a public hearing must be postmarked within 30 days following the date of this notice. Comments and/or public hearing requests should be sent to Mr. Edd Frazier at the above Frankfort address. Any person who requests a public hearing must state the issues to be raised at the hearing. If the division finds that a hearing will contribute to the decision-making process by clarifying significant issues affecting the draft permit, a hearing will be announced. All relevant comments will be considered in issuing the final permit. Further information can be obtained by calling Mr Edd Frazier at (502) 573-3382.

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